

**United States District Court**FILED IN THE  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

for the

**Jul 16, 2021****Eastern District of Washington**

SEAN F. McAVOY, CLERK

**Petition for Warrant or Summons for Offender Under Supervision**

Name of Offender: Norman Ford

Case Number: 0980 2:06CR00083-EFS-1

Address of Offender:

Washington 99040

Name of Sentencing Judicial Officer: The Honorable Edward F. Shea, Senior U.S. District Judge

Date of Original Sentence: July 9, 2009

Original Offense: Accomplice to Second Degree Murder, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 2 and 1153(1)(a) and (b),  
and; Burglary in the First Degree, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1153(a) and 2Original Sentence: Prison - 210 months  
TSR - 60 months

Type of Supervision: Supervised Release

Amended Sentence Prison - 4,276 days  
(March 22, 2021) TSR - 60 months

Asst. U.S. Attorney: James Goeke

Date Supervision Commenced: March 24, 2021

Defense Attorney: Mark Edmund Vovos

Date Supervision Expires: March 23, 2026

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**PETITIONING THE COURT**

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To issue a summons.

The probation officer believes that the offender has violated the following conditions of supervision:

Violation Number    Nature of Noncompliance

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**Special Condition #16:** Defendant shall abstain from the use of illegal controlled substances, and shall submit to urinalysis testing, as directed by the supervising officer, but no more than six tests per month, in order to confirm continued abstinence from these substances.**Supporting Evidence:** It is alleged that Mr. Ford violated the terms of his supervised release on or about June 18, 2021, by using methamphetamine.

Mr. Ford's conditions of supervised release were reviewed with him on March 26, 2021. He acknowledged an understanding of his conditions, which includes special condition number 16.

On July 1, 2021, Mr. Ford's substance abuse counselor advised the undersigned that Mr. Ford provided a urine sample that tested positive for methamphetamine. On July 1, 2021, the undersigned spoke with Mr. Ford and he denied using methamphetamine. He was directed to report to the U.S. Probation Office on July 6, 2021. On July 6, 2021, Mr. Ford again denied using methamphetamine on or about June 18, 2021. On July 13, 2021, after a lengthy conversation, Mr. Ford informed the undersigned he is uncertain how his urine sample tested positive for methamphetamine on June 18, 2021, as he had altered the sample by using synthetic urine to avoid detection for methamphetamine he had used on or about June 18, 2021.

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**Supporting Evidence:** It is alleged that Mr. Ford violated the terms of his supervised release on or about June 30, 2021, by using methamphetamine and heroin.

Mr. Ford's conditions of supervised release were reviewed with him on March 26, 2021. He acknowledged an understanding of his conditions, which includes special condition number 16.

On July 6, 2021, Mr. Ford submitted a urine sample which tested presumptive positive for methamphetamine and morphine. Thereafter, Mr. Ford informed the undersigned, and via a signed document, that he last used methamphetamine and heroin on or about June 30, 2021.

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**Supporting Evidence:** It is alleged that Mr. Ford violated the terms of his supervised release on or about July 9, 2021, by using methamphetamine and heroin.

Mr. Ford's conditions of supervised release were reviewed with him on March 26, 2021. He acknowledged an understanding of his conditions, which includes special condition number 16.

On July 13, 2021, Mr. Ford submitted a urine sample which tested presumptive positive for methamphetamine, morphine, and cocaine. Thereafter, Mr. Ford informed the undersigned, and via a signed document, that he last used methamphetamine and heroin on or about July 9, 2021. Mr. Ford stated he has not knowingly used cocaine, although it may have been mixed in the illicit substances he used on July 9, 2021.

The U.S. Probation Office respectfully recommends the Court issue a summons requiring the offender to appear to answer to the allegations contained in this petition.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: 07/16/2021

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s/Jonathan C. Bot

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Jonathan C. Bot  
U.S. Probation Officer

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THE COURT ORDERS

- ☐ No Action
- ☐ The Issuance of a Warrant
- ☒ The Issuance of a Summons
- ☒ Other - Defendant to appear before  
Magistrate Judge.



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Signature of Judicial Officer

July 16, 2021

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Date